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Rev. A. J. Law, B.A., Pastor.

## Advice on Couch Grass

Eradication is Now Available

Scientific methods for control and eradication of Couch Grass, a weed which is spreading over Western Canada, is made in a pamphlet prepared by Dr. G. F. McKee, Professor of Agronomy and W. Tildesley, B.S.A., assistant on weed research, of Agricultural College of Manitoba University, on behalf of the Northwest Grain Dealers Association. The pamphlet contains scientific studies of the weed problem which has been under way for the past three years. The results of these investigations have been published in pamphlet form. The pamphlets are now being distributed free at all line country elevators.

Couch Grass was introduced in Western Canada through small lots of seed sent out to farmers in this country from friends in Europe during the latter part of the last century, and before proper inspection facilities were established on seeds imported into Canada. The Chief Analyst of the Dominion Seed Branch at Winnipeg, has found out that approximately one-half of the Brome Grass seed sent to the Seed Branch for inspection contains Couch Grass.

The pamphlet dealing with Couch Grass outlines methods for the control and eradication of this weed in a manner that the ordinary layman can easily read and follow. Any farmer troubled with Couch Grass in his field should obtain a copy. It is also particularly valuable and informative to farmers who wish to keep their fields free from this weed.

## Think More of the Consumer

Gradually it is being borne to the minds of the people that consumption has now become paramount to production. Leaders express this fact in their

## Senior Intermediate Report

Teacher: Mildred Arthur

Grade VIII:—  
Phyllis Hopkins, 85 p.e.  
Dorothy MacDonald, 74.2  
Louise Sibley, 84  
Robert Miller, 82.4  
Harvey Boswell, 77.1  
Mary Hopkins, 75.7  
Joy Law, 75  
Dolly Campbell, 65.2  
Bobby Nickel, 63.1  
Kewin Pawlik, 61.4  
Irene Dark, 57

Grade VII:—  
Jean Moore, 82.3  
Dorothy MacDonald, 77.6  
Florence McNeill, 70.5  
Jack Longmire, 75.2  
Frank Haimoor, 69.5  
Violet Dark, 68.6  
Roy Harn, 58.7  
Joe Oredol, not ranked.

Grade VI:—  
Dorothy Pullin, 89.6  
Elaine Hurlbert, 83.5  
Inna Anderson, 81.5  
Gladys McCue, 81.3  
Oliver Lyster, 80.1  
Bernice Dark, 79.6  
Aunie Fraser, 73.3  
Alma Krampitz, 72.8  
Shirley Sibley, 70.6  
Margaret Miller, 60.1  
Edgar Turner, 62  
John Oredol, not ranked

utterances today. President Roosevelt recently said, "I believe that we are at the threshold of our economic life. I believe that in the future we are going to think less about the producer and more about the consumer." We also find this truth in the utterances of men like Major Douglas and others. Under such conditions it becomes apparent that if nations are to progress a system of orderly planning becomes a necessity if the youth of today is to be given an outlet for the use of their vitality and energy. Under such conditions it becomes apparent that if nations are to progress a system of orderly planning becomes a necessity if the youth of today is to be given an outlet for the use of their vitality and energy. Under such conditions it becomes apparent that if nations are to progress a system of orderly planning becomes a necessity if the youth of today is to be given an outlet for the use of their vitality and energy.

## Junior Intermediate Room

Teacher: M. A. Hutchison

Grade V:—  
Bowler, Gordon, 82.7  
Law, Betty, 79.3  
Oredol, Willie, 78.9  
McCue, Cameron, 77.3  
Lyster, Wesley, 75.6  
Boswell, Ossie, 73.8  
Boswell, Eric, 72.1  
Crompton, Edith, 72  
Hopkins, Kenneth, 71.8  
Morrison, Blair, 70.7  
Pawlik, Rosemarie, 68.8  
Oredol, Rosie, 67.1  
Watt, Jimmy, 64  
Stanley, F. A., 61.1  
Benny Harn, not graded owing to illness.

Grade IV:—  
Robertson, Allan, 79  
Ruech, Gordon, 77.3  
Robertson, Leslie, 76.3  
McRae, Gloria, 75.1  
Brewer, Helen, 73  
Pool, Billy, 71.4  
Chell, Bernice, 71  
Scott, Irene, 65.5  
Stonely, Evelyn, 65  
Russell, Laura, 62.1

A nice thunder-shower on Tuesday morning, helped to freshen things up.

## Here and There

Princess Junko, sister of the Emperor of Manchukuo, with her husband T. K. Cheng, were passengers aboard the Duchess of Richmond recently. They travelled across Canada via Canadian Pacific Railway and sailed from Vancouver to the Orient on the liner Empress of Canada.

Harvest Easter traffic in years with main line trains running in extra sections and with added coaches and parlor cars on branch line trains, Canadian Pacific Railway, was reported over the recent holiday, right across the Dominion. Special low fares attracted many passengers.

In the annual statement of the C. P. R. for last year, published recently, it was brought out that as a result of decreased earnings the great majority of railway employees have been reduced 20 per cent in pay; however, the company's directors have had a 25 per cent cut in their fees, while the Board of Directors has had a 25 per cent reduction of its own pay.

Eight days only after they had witnessed the Grand National classic at Atlantic, near Liverpool, a number of Torontoites reached their home in time for the Easter celebrations. The achievement was made possible by the fact that the Canadian Pacific Steamships is to be sold for scrap, her owners announced recently.

Announcement is made by the Canadian Pacific Railway that it will now accept shipments of freight via Port McNicoll and its lake and rail route subject to delay at Port McNicoll, pending the first sailing. Three Canadian Pacific steamers will be in service on the Great Lakes during the coming season.

"Bride ship of the Atlantic" as she was called by reason of the large number of prospective brides she carried from Great Britain and the continent to Canada, the Metagama of the Canadian Pacific Steamships is to be sold for scrap, her owners announced recently.

Fifty years of railroad service, 25 of them with the Canadian Pacific Railway, near Liverpool, recently at the Royal York Hotel by a banquet and presentation to Robert E. Larmour, retired general freight agent at Toronto. L. W. Healy, K.C., L.D., chairman and president of the company; Grant Hall, vice-president; George Schibler, traffic vice-president; were among those who attended.

L. G. Prevost, K.C., assistant solicitor, Canadian Pacific Railway, has been promoted to the post of solicitor of the company for the province of Quebec, succeeding the late John H. MacDonald, K.C., the appointment being effective as from April 1.

## Alberta Crop Report

Establishing a record consistently in advance as to date over the average for the past ten years, seeding of spring wheat is largely completed at this date in those areas of Alberta lying east of the Calgary-Edmonton and Aldersdale lines of the C.P.R. and south of the main line of the Canadian National, and is well under way in other parts of the province, while seeding of coarse grains is now general. In a few early districts, wheat is beginning to appear above ground.

The average amount of wheat seeded completed in Alberta by April 30 during the past ten years was 25.6 per cent, while the amount completed by that date this year was somewhat greater than the average for the past twenty-two years which was 45.7 per cent.

Reports received by the provincial department of agriculture indicate that the percentage of reduction in wheat acreage will be small, though an accurate estimate will not be possible until the June compilation of acreages.

Aside from the early date of seeding, conditions over the entire province may be considered normal. Moisture conditions in most areas are quite satisfactory for germination, but in most southern and south-eastern districts more rain will be needed shortly to carry on. During the last two days of April and the first of May, rains fell in most districts over the province, varying from light showers to heavy rains in a few areas where land operations were somewhat delayed. These improved surface moisture conditions considerably, but winds are drying up the surface again in many places. Harvest rains were recorded in the Edmonton district, and north-west, north-east and east of that city. Precipitation for April is below the past five-year average at most points where records are complete.

Grass-chopper eggs are plentiful throughout the hopper areas. But hatching has not occurred to any great extent as yet. The indications are that unless cold weather conditions come about shortly, the hopper menace will be fairly as serious as last year. Hopper control organization is now complete throughout the area affected and ready for operations at the earliest moment necessary. The field crops branch of the provincial department is again directing the

## Wheat Prices Rising

Wheat prices have been rising steadily during the past while under the influence of drought conditions which prevail in the north central states of the U.S. Hot winds have swept parts of Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Wisconsin and Minnesota and moisture deficiency in northern Illinois has reached a deficiency of 61 per cent since January 1.

## Dry Land Gardening

Garden crops are one thing in which there has been very little over-production. We have it seems grown too much when on our dry land farms, but not enough vegetables and fruits to say nothing of flowers and trees. A handpick, and a serious one, to growing a garden on a dry land farm is the shortage of moisture and the present season an appropriate time to tell of the method used in the Lethbridge station in growing vegetables and fruits on dry land.

The dry land garden needs to be "dry land farmed" very much the same as dry land wheat. At this station half of the dry land garden is summer-fallowed every year. The extra moisture stored in the soil by this summer-fallowing helps the garden plants to withstand the hot, drying winds that often prevail here in years of scanty rain fall. The small amount of exposed and additional water required are trivial indeed when compared to increases in yields obtained. Even in years of heavier rain fall the summer-fallowed garden land yields more abundantly as a result of increased soil productivity following a year of rest.

Regular summer fallow methods are used to a large extent in preparing this dry land garden. The main, if not the only exception, is that a light dressing of well-rotted manure is applied before the land is ploughed early in June. Ten tons of manure to an acre is about as much as can be safely applied here to dry land with the amount of precipitation normally received. For the same reason straw or fresh manure is avoided. Only well-rotted manure is used.

Disking early in the spring is helpful in starting the weeds before the land is ploughed and

## Precipitation Records

Precipitation for April let up to and including May 2nd, is as follows:

Fairview, 76 inches, Beaverlodge, 34, Edmonton, 1.49; Vegreville, 1.34 Lloydminster, .62, Red Deer, .56, Stettin, .26, Coronation, .65, Empress, .26, Drumheller, 1.04, Brooks, .34, Medicine Hat, .23, Lethbridge, .25, Foremost, .28, Cardston, .48.

after ploughing the fallow is kept black by cultivation during June and July. The fallow usually is not worked during August and early September, however, because the dusty service much produced by cultivation is likely to attract outworn moths or millers as they are called, which lay their eggs from August let to September 1st in corn where the surface is loose and not crusted. When the ploughing is done early and the fallow is kept black during June and July the weed menace during August is not apt to be serious; not as serious, certainly, as an infestation of outworn moths would likely be if the land were cultivated during this egg laying period.

In laying out the garden plot, area is provided for summer-fallowing half of the land each year. In addition plenty of ground is allowed for fairly wide spacing between the rows. This is quite essential in dry land gardening because, with the limited depth of precipitation received, each plant needs more soil and a greater area for its roots of foliage is than is the case in areas of heavier rain fall or where irrigation is available. A wider spacing of rows is also an advantage in that it permits the use of a horse cultivator.

The smaller garden stuff, such as beets, carrots, onions, radish, and leaf lettuce, may be grown in rows 20 inches apart on dry land, while the more extensively rooted plants like cabbage, cauliflower and Swede turnips, should be spaced 36 inches apart. Bush fruits, such as currants, when planted in dry land, are more apt to succeed if spaced 8 to 10 feet apart each way, and larger fruit trees such as plums, need as much as 20 feet space each way. These spacings give some idea of the area required and need to be considered in laying out the wind break which is so essential in making gardening successful on the prairies whether on dry land or irrigated land. A good rule to follow is to measure the height of the trees in the shelter belt and leave at least this distance between them and any planted crop.

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## Plan For Abundance And Not For Scarcity Says Sir Stafford Cripps

Ottawa.—A planning for abundance and not for scarcity was advocated by Sir Stafford Cripps, former solicitor-general of Great Britain and at present Labor member for East Bristol in the British House of Commons, in an address here.

The British Labor member was guest of honor and speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club here. Seated next to him at the head table was Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, and Sir Stafford caused a smile when he said that he rose with "some trepidation" to try and advance some ideas on Socialism in the midst of the proceeds of the prime minister.

"Sir Stafford commented upon the 'most remarkable picture' the world was witnessing, of farmers being paid for not producing. Such a condition, he asserted, was reminiscent of the and latter-day in the 'Alice in Wonderland.' His belief was that farmers should be paid for producing and that a machine for distributing what they produced should be perfected.

He informed his audience that, insofar as the economic planning of agriculture was concerned after preliminary steps had been taken, it would be necessary to "do away with the private ownership of the means of production and to eliminate the profit-making system from agriculture."

There were, he said, difficulties in agricultural planning due to factors not under human control. No "golden rule" could be applied. It was important, however, to keep in mind the objective sought. He believed that there should be a "planning for abundance" not for scarcity.

He felt, said the British Labor member, that it was possible to plan agriculture so as to realize the desire of supplying the wants of all the people.

In so doing it might be necessary to eliminate the profit-making motive, replacing it with planned production for use. An effort designed merely to control production was not going to solve the problem of abundance.

### Kitsilano Boys' Band

Western Aggregation To Make Tour Of England And The Continent  
Vancouver, B.C.—Arrangements have been completed for the Kitsilano Boys' band of Vancouver to spend several weeks in England on tour this summer, with the prospect that engagements on the continent will also be filled.

The band, numbering about 45 members, will leave Vancouver on June 25 and play in Harrogate, Airedale, and Leeds, England, and several weeks in England on tour this summer, with the prospect that engagements on the continent will also be filled.

### Girl Guides For Switzerland

Toronto.—Girl Guide leaders of each of the Canadian provinces have been asked to recommend a first class Guide, aged 18, to the Canadian headquarters executive committee, for the selection of Canada's representative to the international camp in the Alps, Switzerland, next July.

### Socialism And Monarchy

Montreal.—The English crown and Socialism are not incompatible, and England would be better off as a hereditary monarchy even if the country became Socialist, Sir Stafford Cripps, leader of the English Labor party, said here in an interview.

## Britain Concerned About Stand Of U. S. On Armament Treaty

London.—The stand the United States would take if an attempt were made to punish a European violator of a disarmament treaty was the concern of British and League of Nations diplomats who conferred with Norman H. Davis, United States disarmament delegate.

Before Great Britain is willing to commit herself on proposals for punitive military and economic action she is interested in knowing if the United States would at least not interfere.

### Fortune Awaits Disposition

Will Covering Estate Of Fur Trader  
Last Month Years Ago

Fort William.—A fortune reported to amount to millions of dollars awaited disposition while apparent direct heirs in widely separated parts of Canada looked for developments. The fortune consisted of the estate of James Hudson, accumulated 20 years ago in fur trading with the Indians in James Bay district.

Claimants to the fortune included Moses Frost, 93, of Port Arthur, and Mrs. John Frever, Vancouver. They were grandson and granddaughter respectively of the trader. The fortune is now understood to be in the hands of a lawyer in England.

Delay in settlement of the estate was caused because the will, written on Hudson's, was lost or stolen from Mr. Frost's mother in 1867.

### Japanese Tennis Star

Jiro Sato Ends Life By Jumping

Tokyo.—Messages received here reported that Jiro Sato, great Japanese tennis player, had committed suicide by jumping himself from the liner Hakone Maru soon after sailing from Singapore.

Suffering from a nervous complaint for some time, Sato was on the vessel, carrying him and other members of Japan's Davis cup team, to Europe, arrived in Singapore.

Sato disembarked, intending to return to Japan, but decided to return to his home in Japan.

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### New Northern Empire

Pioneer Prospector Visualizes Big Development In Mineral Areas

Edmonton.—Vast new empire in the far north with a population of 100,000 in the next 20 years is predicted by D'Arcy Arden, pioneer prospector, trader and explorer, who reached Edmonton by airplane from Great Bear Lake mineral area.

Mr. Arden, who made the discovery of the new strike of pitchblende at Beaver Lodge Lake, 100 miles south of Cameron Bay, says this strike promises to be the richest yet uncovered in the entire northern mineral field.

### Compromise Farmers' Debts

Manitoba Bill Designed To Assist Agriculturists

Winnipeg.—A bill to "facilitate the compromise of farmers' debts" was given second reading in the Manitoba legislature.

Introduced by Hon. W. J. Major, attorney-general, the bill is in anticipation of Dominion legislation to provide an inexpensive short cut for farmers to go into bankruptcy in order to obtain downward revision of their debts.

The Manitoba bill, if enacted, will be supplemental to expected federal legislation.

### Employers Organize

Bombay.—The "Association of Industrial Employers" has been organized here to prevent the spread of Communism. Its members are wealthy Hindus. A group that recently favored and supported M. K. Gandhi in his civil disobedience campaign.

### Appeals Will Be Allowed

Clause In Manitoba's Wheat Control Bill Has Been Altered

Winnipeg.—Premier John Bracken's emergency wheat control bill passed safely through law amendments committee of the Manitoba legislature with one significant amendment. The bill now goes into committee of the whole.

The section of the wheat bill providing orders of wheat control board would be above any question, review or appeal in the courts was the only clause to be altered.

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### Advance In Science

Dr. Tory Criticizes Present Methods Of Education

Toronto.—The rapid strides in advancement of science and criticism of the present-day educational methods were made by Dr. H. M. Tory, head of the research bureau of Canada, in an address before high school principals at the Ontario Educational Association annual convention here.

Answer to the topic of his address, "Why science is worthless," said Dr. Tory, in its effect on the intellectual life of the modern world; social well-being and material progress.

One of the great social problems of today, he said, was unemployment. "The claim that science is worthless," he said, "has resulted in over-production in a world where millions of people are for the moment suffering want is merely to acknowledge progress in producing a suitable economic structure, hindered as it has been by industrial stupidity and greed and by extreme nationalistic policies on the part of statesmen, has not kept pace with growth of knowledge and with the world's needs."

### Tales Of The North

Miners Get Together And Recall Experiences Of Yuletide Days

Quebec.—Vivid tales of the north country and the Odysseys of the Saurdoughs who blazed the trails of the Klondike and the Yukon in the days when men lived on snowshoes and women shared a plateful of beans with them in a rudely constructed hut in Canada's northern hinterland were recalled at the 35th annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

Mining prospectors were at bat at the meeting. A number of symptoms on prospecting were delivered in which former pan-diggers spoke of their trials and tribulations in early struggles to eke out a living.

### Returning To Canada

Hundred Hutterites Taking Up Land In Leithridge District

North Portal, Sask.—Word has been received that 100 Hutterite settlers will shortly arrive at the border with several cars of stock and effects from Alexandria, South Dakota, to take up land in the Leithridge district. Rev. Jacob Kleinmeyer is advance agent for the party and he is now in Leithridge completing arrangements for the coming of these settlers, some of whom farmed there 15 years ago.

### TO RETIRE



Hon. Thomas Ashmore Kidd, who retires from the Speakership of the Ontario Legislature when the House dissolves. Irrespective of the outcome of the forthcoming Provincial General Election, Colonel Kidd will not be back in the Speaker's chair. Biting through five seasons, never once sick, and never once absent for any reason, is the enviable record which Colonel Kidd has established.

### A National Responsibility

Hon. G. M. Weir Advocates More Centralization In Educational Control

Vancouver.—Education is being recognized as a national responsibility and the British North America Act is due for amendment to meet this principle and for amendment without reference to the imperial parliament. Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, British Columbia minister of education, told 100 delegates to the annual convention of the B.C. Teachers' Federation.

Dr. Weir declared the federal government should pay half the cost for elementary education. He also suggested there should be greater centralization in educational control, and that of educational financing.

He predicted that within 25 years, possibly 10, the B.N.A. Act would be amended to provide for these changes.

### Manitoba Beer Bill

Sale Of Beer By Case In Licensed Hotels

Winnipeg.—After three hours' debate, the bill to amend the Government Liquor Control Act to permit beer to be sold by the case in licensed hotels was given third reading in the Manitoba legislature.

Party lines were split on the debate with Hon. W. J. Major, attorney-general, declaring, widening of the beer selling facilities was necessary in the drive to eliminate bootleggers.

The vote on a motion by George Gladstone (Cons. Brandon) to delete the clause providing beer to be sold from other minor amendments was defeated 30-19. There was no recorded vote on third reading.

### Testing Grain

Suggests Intermediate Grade For Tough Wheat

Edmonton.—Moisture content of grain, which had been the subject of an inquiry by the committee, was reported on to the agriculture committee of the legislature by A. E. Claypool, who recommended that the Canada grain board be urged to increase facilities for testing grain for moisture content and that it should fully investigate the feasibility of an intermediate grade in tough wheat and apply it if found feasible. The committee so agreed. It was pointed out that the grading and selling of grain is under federal regulation and outside the jurisdiction of the province.

## France Asks For Trade In Return For Cut In Acreage

Rome.—France appeared before the wheat advisory commission in the guise of a bargainer, but failed, for the time being at least, to obtain any bargain.

M. Davinet, leading French delegate, suggested at the session of the commission that if wheat importing countries are asked to reduce their home production of the cereal then exporters of the grain overseas should be prepared to grant trading concessions as a reciprocal gesture.

The suggestion followed closely along the lines of recent talk that France wished to use its wheat-growing resources as a weapon to secure, among other things, a wider market for its wines. It fell flat, however, when the commission decided it had no authority to deal with the proposition because it is not empowered to negotiate trade agreements.

In its report the commission will merely refer the French suggestion to the participating governments. It will not recommend it. With this decision the question passed from the council agenda.

Delegates were asking what really lies behind the French proposal and speculating on whether France is preparing to make a change in its agricultural policy.

In common with other European importers, France has been stimulating production of home-grown wheat, forcing the pace through loans, fixed prices, market control, import quotas and marketing restrictions.

Figures on display at the Fascist exhibition here show that under the

influence of this country's grain production campaign the nation's output has increased slightly more than 50 per cent.

The commission learned something about the cost of these production campaigns. It was revealed that internal prices for wheat in European countries range from \$11.2 to \$14.00 gold, about three times the world price in gold.

In all these countries the bread, judged from Canadian standards, is of indifferent quality.

In France, constant complaints are heard against the high cost of living. These complaints have been reflected in the country's present unrest and competent observers have expressed belief a change in the agricultural policy is unlikely.

All the importing countries expressed sympathy towards the idea of increasing the world wheat price. British representatives let it be known that the United Kingdom looks to an increased wheat price as a means of stimulating demand for its own industrial exports.

Already, it was pointed out, Italy has found it necessary, following its wheat campaign, to make an effort to reduce wheat acreage and Germany is developing a system of sales limitations.

The commission approved a plan to use wheat in producing pork and beef instead of bread and thus help farmers obtain higher prices.

Under the scheme an international agreement to denature low-quality wheat would be recommended to various governments for their signature.

### Provincial Marketing Board

Alberta Bill To Give Effect To Dominion Marketing Act

Edmonton.—Implementing federal legislation, a bill to provide for the functioning of a provincial marketing board was introduced in the Alberta legislature by Premier J. E. Brownie. It was given first reading.

The bill aims to give the provincial government power to bring into effect by proclamation any part of the Dominion Marketing Act.

### Will Go To Ottawa

Victoria.—Premier T. D. Pattullo announced that he would go to Ottawa late this month to confer with the federal cabinet on British Columbia matters.

## World Carryover Of Wheat Will Be About Same As Last Year

Rome.—The world carryover of wheat on August 1 will be 1,100,000,000 bushels—about the same as last year—but estimates for the next year which starts on that date are optimistic regarding reduction of stocks and acreage.

This information was contained in a communique issued by the world wheat advisory commission after a long session devoted to reports and plans for bettering the international wheat situation by lowering supplies and encouraging consumption.

"In reviewing the prospective wheat situation," the statement declared, "the committee was impressed by the fact that the probable increase in stocks in the prin-

cipal European importing countries at the beginning of August compared to the previous year will amount to between 100,000,000 and 120,000,000 bushels.

"Despite the very short North American harvest in 1933, the probable world carryover of wheat on August 1, 1934, will be approximately the same as that of August, 1933, about 1,100,000,000 bushels."

For Canada, John I. McFarland of Winnipeg, told the 35 members representing 15 nations that:

"Following the extensive discussion concerning the necessity for a reduction in production and the dissemination of information to farmers regarding measures to restrict sales—coupled with unfavorable natural and economic conditions for wheat—there is a possibility that the acreage needed in Canada this spring will be sharply reduced, as much as 15 per cent."

Canada had taken definite steps to implement the London agreement, Mr. McFarland stressed. Bills had been introduced in the three prairie provinces providing enabling legislation for restriction of the quantity of wheat each farmer may sell, the extent of such restriction to be based upon the total of the Canadian export quota.

A parallel bill had been introduced in the Dominion parliament authorizing establishment of a national wheat board whereby the national wheat provinces could coordinate their policies and take control of the entire wheat business of the country, should this become necessary.



## Revision Is Necessary

British North American Act Not Wholly Suited To Existing Conditions

The representatives of the people who in 1867 became the Fathers of Confederation had their eyes fixed on their day just as have the leading men of both parties now at Ottawa. Harsher things, too, were said of them and by them, and even today than anything that is being said to-day about R. B. Bennett and MacKenzie King. It is time, when "on her ever-rolling stream, bears all her sons away," that transforms a politician into a statesman. It takes about three hundred years for a good man or a good woman to be elevated to a place among the saints.

The fathers of the Canadian Confederation did a very good job under great difficulties. They won a high place in our history. But wisdom did not die with them. Nor did the need for wisdom end with the work they performed. Sixty-seven years have gone by since 1867 and Canada would have been unrecognizable from the standpoint of that time. A new industrial civilization has arisen, based not on the banks of the St. Lawrence and the Atlantic coast, but on a complete half-continent.

B.N.A. Act must and inevitably will be made to meet the requirements of a new and greater day than anybody could envision in 1867. It should, of course, not be "illegally" disturbed, but it should be brought into touch with the realities of existing conditions. The constitution of the Dominion cannot be left an unalterable document, locked in a box. It is not now, all sorts of changes are being made and necessarily all these changes will have to be regularized by amendments to the Act—Toronto Star.

## Australians Growing Taller

Excessive Height May Become Inconvenient States Medical Inspector

We have heard of complaints being made of a falling-off in the stature of the people in various parts of the country following warfare or some other equally disastrous scourge. But Australia is unusually original in the concern that it has taken over the rapidly increasing height of the people in that Dominion.

Dr. Janet Greig, Medical Inspector for the Education Department, in an address to the Medical Congress held in Hobart, predicted that the time was coming when the excessive height of Australians would be highly inconvenient. "Already," she said, "doorways in trains and trams are too low for many men, and the average bed and ship's berth are becoming too short. For a long time it has been astonished at the amazing height of our adolescents at 14, 15 and 16 years of age, but in recent years it is the height of girls of 12 and 13 that is surprising."

While the individual Australian may be inconvenienced by his exceptional height, the situation is one, so far as Australia as a country is concerned, that should excite call for rejoicing rather than anxiety.

## Now A Bonnet Maker

Prince George Initiated Into Craft At Dundee, Scotland

After opening the new city chambers in Dundee, Scotland, recently, Prince George was initiated into the bonnet-makers' craft. The craft is a survival of the ancient trade guilds, and its actual organization is unknown because the records are said to have been destroyed when General Monk sacked Dundee. Prince George went through a secret ritual, which included his being crowned with a 200-year-old bonnet. The making of bonnets in Dundee did not long ago, and the craft is now largely a benevolent institution.

Request Visit From Squadron The Canadian government is desiring to have a British squadron of airplanes emulate Gen. Italo Balbo's government flight to Chicago last year.

The request came from the British government is that the squadron of British machines fly the Atlantic to participate in the ceremonies attending the celebration of the summer of Toronto's one hundredth anniversary.

## Old But True

"Have you noticed a very old thing about bird people?" Freeman asked his friend.

"Can't say that I have," said the latter. "They are certainly rather embarrassing at times."

Freeman nodded pensively. "Yes, but haven't I ever struck you that they are the ones who generally come to the point first?" he said.

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## CHINA BECOMES AIR-MINDED AND PREPARES TO BUILD LARGE AIR FORCE



Perhaps nowhere in the world is aviation such a boom as it is in China at the present time. The belief that Japan's invasion of Manchuria and Jehol was due to Nippon's command of the air, has awakened in the Chinese mind a new and more potent means of transportation. General Chiang Kai-shek, former President of the Republic, and Marshal Huoh-Liang, former war lord of Manchuria, are the moving spirits behind the aviation boom. The United States has benefited to a great extent because of this boom and during the past year it is estimated that several million dollars' worth of machines have been shipped to China. European instructors have been engaged to teach the Chinese how to fly the planes. Captain Frank Hawke, noted speed flyer, has recently delivered a bombing plane to the National Government, and it is regarded as satisfactory, a number of the machines will be ordered.

## Racial Changes Noted In Chinese Customs

Last Forty Years Have Made Big Difference To Women

Changes in conditions as they affect women in China noted during her 41 years of missionary work in the province of Szechwan were described by Dr. Betts W. Kilburn to the Montreal presbytery of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada.

Forty years ago Chinese women were never seen on the streets except in the case of an elderly servant sent on an errand. Now they are free to come and go as they like. Girls' feet were bound then, now the practice is going out of style. In country places the custom still exists but will likely disappear there, Dr. Kilburn believed, when it is known to be unfeasible.

Education was not thought necessary four decades ago but to-day it is open to any girl who can avail herself of it although many girls are deprived of the chance to go to school because they must stay at home to help with the work.

People mingling together now make their own choice of life partners although there is still much unhappiness in cases where a boy or girl may have been betrothed in childhood by the parents, for as China an engagement is almost as binding as marriage.

Dr. Kilburn said she had noted a marked improvement in the health of Chinese girls because of their free life with participation in open air sports and games.

There were no newspapers 60 years ago but these, according to Dr. Kilburn, do not help missionaries for they tell the Chinese of conditions in Christian countries which are hard to explain.

## Aid To Good Teeth

Teeth Of Children Improved By Eating Nuts

A correspondent writes: "Regarding the result of the dental examination of school children in various sections of York county, Ontario, one dentist reported 98 per cent. defective, another 86 per cent. and another 92 per cent. He suggests that the teeth of children could be restored by indulging in the habits of his youth, when all ate some nuts each meal."

"We have could grow far more nuts in and on the waste lands of this country to supply all wants. The newly formed Ontario Nut Growers' Association will help educate the people in this matter."

## Holds Important Position

The immense strategic importance of Canada's position on the future air routes of the world was better appreciated "by the powerful aviation element" in charge of aeronautics, division of physics and engineering, national research laboratories, said in an address at Ottawa.

Many branches of industry in Czechoslovakia are suffering workers.

## Its Literal Meaning

Word "Understander" Applied To One Who Understands Anything

"The Minister," says the official circular on the drought, "wishes to impress on Water Undertakers..." The phrase strikes oddly on ears accustomed to employ the last word in a different sense, but it is only a reversion to a former and more literal usage. The original undertaker was simply one who undertook—it might be a war, an enterprise, the publication of a book or the production of a play. "Australia" wrote Cleland, "was a great undertaker," meaning that she was an energetic and enterprising country. The word has even been used with theological significance, as in "The Two Noble Kinsmen": "Christ thy undertaker to bring them to glory." "Nay," says Sir Toby Belch, "if you be an undertaker, I am for you"; meaning a fighting man, a man who means business.—London Observer.

## Testing New Variety

Ladak Alfalfa Promises Good Results As Western Crop

The Dominion Experimental Farms throughout Canada have been testing a new variety of alfalfa, known as Ladak. This is a hardy variety grown on the high dry plateaus of Ladak in northern India, where the summers are extremely hot and the winters cold. Ladak alfalfa has also been tested in different parts of the United States. While definite conclusions from a single year's results cannot be drawn, the tests indicate that Ladak is a very promising variety for the prairie provinces at least, and that it is deserving of further trial. At present the seed is not available in Canada.

Not more than 35 per cent. of the stand of maple trees in Eastern Canada are used for the production of syrup or sugar.

Posteriorly not get off any easier than we do. Their problem will probably be unemployed machines.

## Would Erect High Tower

Plans Proposed For Skyscraper On Banks Of Seine

A skyscraper one kilometer high—nearly three times the height of the Empire State Building—has been proposed by an architect for the banks of the Seine. The kilometer Building would preside over the Decorative Arts World Show of 1937. Numerous projects for structures dwarfing any yet built have been proposed, but this is the most ambitious. The Kilometer Building would be ten per cent. utilitarian. As an engineering feat, its construction would be spectacular also, although relatively less so than the erection of the Eiffel Tower, whose builder was persecuted as a crank. The model of the Kilometer Building now being shown at a modernistic art salon, resembles a New York skyscraper with narrow setbacks, but is featured by huge windows in contrast to the narrow ones of most American office buildings.

## The Muse Of Poets

Lasting Impression Is Left By Poems Of Blake

William Blake once asked a lady if she had ever seen a fairy's funeral, and on her replying in the negative he went on: "It was writing about in my garden; there was great stillness among the branches and flowers, and more than common sweetness in the air; I heard a low and pleasant sound, and I know not whence it came."

"At last I saw the broad leaf of a flower move, and underneath I saw a procession of creatures of the size and color of green and grey grasshoppers, bearing a body laid out on a rose leaf, which they buried with songs and then disappeared."

"It was thus that the poem dreamed—and saw," says a critic in the Herald-Tribune, reporting a lecture on Blake by Lawrence Binns. As the English poet observed, contact with Blake leaves a durable mark upon the imagination.

## FANCIFUL FABLES



## Not For The Ladies

Girls Of Gay Nineties Warned Against Bicycle Riding

The younger generation, and especially the young ladies, were headed for the "demolition blow-out" of a bicycle 37 years ago.

Authoritative statements to this effect were published November 15, 1897, in a semi-monthly copy of the "Household," or "Ladies' Repository," titled "The Bicycle Girl."

"Bicycling blunts the sensibilities, blunts the efforts of the 'gay nineties,'" stating that "there is real danger that the women of the next generation may be a little less refined because of the thoughtlessness of the bicycle girl of to-day."

Warped morals were found to follow for "a young man treats a girl with greater familiarity after having accompanied her on a long bicycle ride." And, "a girl cannot sprawl on the ground while resting and ever afterwards appear quite the same in the eyes of her companion."

Gum-chewing was another evil encouraged by bicycling, the editorial stated. Not only is gum disgusting and unrefined, but, "according to prominent specialists, chewing with the mouth open, as many bicyclists do is frequently the cause of impaired hearing."

The paper advised bicyclists: "Girls, don't talk in loud tones as you ride, or laugh boisterously, or whistle, or stare at other bicyclists or dirt with them. There is no more reason why you should feel free with the unknown rider of a wheel than the stranger on horseback."

The editorial concluded that bicycling was giving the girls a sense of freedom which was extremely detrimental to their conduct, the fact in mind inducing equally fast conduct, conducive to the speed of the pedals.

## Epionage In The Skies

Secret Military Aviation Secrets Of The Stratosphere

Stratospheric epionage has been added to the curriculum of modern investigations. In France by Judge Andre Besson, presiding at the inquiry into the activities of an alleged international spy ring, indicated that certain members of the band sought the military aviation secrets of the stratosphere.

One member specialized in this sort of espionage, Judge Besson was informed, because of the prevailing belief among leading powers that the upper air may play an important role in future wars.

Since Prof. Auguste Piccard and the Russians made their various experimental flights into the stratosphere, a number of countries are known to have ordered planes developed for use in that region above the earth.

French police firmly insist a spy "ring" must have been formed in new French planes and perhaps those of some other nations, chiefly for the benefit of Russia.

## Curse Of Unemployment

Baleful Effects May Be Felt For Many Years To Come

"Unemployment is a curse that, even if it were lifted here and now, would still make its baleful effects felt for many years to come," His Excellency the Governor-General stated in a public address at Vancouver.

He was speaking on behalf of the unemployment service plan operating in Vancouver and elsewhere by which efforts are made to provide as great a volume of voluntary employment as possible and he congratulated the workers in Vancouver on what they had accomplished.

"It is not enough," said Lord Beesborough, "to see those who have worked honorably all their lives suddenly and through no fault of their own deprived of their livelihood, but it is even sadder and more disheartening to all of us who have faith in the future of this great country to watch the havoc the unemployment is playing with the younger generation."

## Appl Man Cuts Out Of Teeth

Tommy Robinson, former football coach, has just cut a full set of new teeth at the age of 84. To cut wisdom teeth at 60 or 70 is not unusual, but a full set after 80 is very rare. Robinson, who lives in Garding, England, says he has been without teeth for a year and the new set appeared within a few weeks. They gave him no trouble and he has not seen a dentist or a doctor about them.

Lives saved off the coast of Great Britain and Ireland last year total 308, the largest number since 1928.

## Newspaper Is Like Map

But Very Many People Do Not Understand Its Various Departments

A newspaper is much like a map. It is divided up into a number of departments, as a map is into states or counties. The traveler in the newspaper domain needs to know the rules of the particular journalistic country he is travelling in. In short, the editor of the newspaper, he will make progress in journeying through the day's recorded events and will avoid misunderstanding, just as a well-informed tourist.

Though jogging over a newspaper is an odd business to many, to countless new readers coming on each year it seems a novel exploration. Since the suffrage arrived, hoards of women are enrolling as citizens of the newspaper republic. Familiar as they are with books and magazines, some of them find the newspaper puzzling. For the benefit of its uninitiated followers, the paper may now and then deem it useful to have a little talk with them about newspaper reading. Like opening your front door, it is absurdly simple when you have the key.

The backbone of a newspaper is its news. To know what is going on about us is to be made alive. News lives in a vacuum isolated from the day's events. A happening two thousand miles away may reach out from the front page and make its mark and set him to doing something he never before thought of. The news usually is the biggest, most important thing given the world in a day. News lives in a vacuum isolated from the day's events. A happening two thousand miles away may reach out from the front page and make its mark and set him to doing something he never before thought of. The news usually is the biggest, most important thing given the world in a day. News lives in a vacuum isolated from the day's events. A happening two thousand miles away may reach out from the front page and make its mark and set him to doing something he never before thought of.

The editors do not make the pages of the world. The world makes them. Editors may sort and shift items to their special patterns, but what more can they do? They are special features. Essential as such may be, there is a perspective in newspaper reading as in everything else.

From the news to the editorials is as far as from America to China. A paper may cover an entire news page with what some celebrity has done, and yet not believe in it or him. It gives him that space solely because his deed is important in relation to others. On the editorial page it may condemn and damn him with a paragraph, or ignore him altogether.

The news pages are the eyes of a paper. They change the world over the paper's voice. It tells what the paper thinks of what it sees. It makes the news columns serve particularly our knowledge and the editorial page our intelligence.

Obvious as these things are, so is the weather. Yet many people find it worth while now and then to notice what sort of a day it is when they step out. As a matter of fact, astonishingly little study has been made of how best to read a newspaper. It is suspected that most people could improve their newspaper reading by developing a better understanding of the newspaper itself.—Christian Science Monitor.

## An Empire Founded On Potatoes

Tubers Changed The Course Of History In Prussia

Hard as it may seem, the Napoleonic wars finally brought the potato into general use in Europe, but it was in Germany, however, that the potato played its most important role. It was the forerunner of Frederick the Great, the sandy plains of East Prussia were planted with potatoes and their culture was encouraged by the vigor of the Prussian government. Prussia, therefore, was founded upon the potato in a way no other country has been. It is, by force of law, despite the protests of those who still believed in the old legend of the potato's powers as a mother to death of passion. The crop of 1770 caused the entire adoption of the potato in Germany. There were more than 100,000 acres planted with potatoes that year, the popular crop of rye. The potato changed the course of the Prussian war, the unhaltability of the northern Prussian empire, which has flowed a train of events, and which the trouble state of the is the result.



# A Complete Telephone Service Circling The Globe To Be Realized In The Near Future

Around the world telephone conversation, linking men's voices in every important capital and commercial city, is imminent, according to engineers who are observing the 60th anniversary of the first voice transmission on electric wires.

Already the earth is completely encircled by chains of telephone connections. From the United States men talk across the Pacific with Manila and across the Atlantic through Amsterdam, Berlin or Brussels to Manila again or other eastern oceanic points.

But working connections through Tokyo and Shanghai to the United States and Oceania are still needed to provide the links between the last great centers of population.

The principal link—between the United States and Tokyo—is rapidly being forged and probably will be in place before the end of the year, according to engineers. Some authorities expect it within two or three months.

Tests have been conducted between the United States and Japan for about a year, indicating the prospect of regular service in the near future. Stanley Shoup, communication expert in the U.S. department of commerce, stated.

During the last 12 months the United States opened telephone communications either for regular or special occasions with Panama, Venezuela, Manila, Guatemala, Russia, Cuba, Riva and Nicaragua. The United States has opened communications with virtually every nation in Europe and South America and even with South Africa.

In all, 62 nations are in telephone contact with each other, and every nation having more than 100,000 inhabitants, except Japan and China, is in part of some world-wide chain.

In addition to perfecting the connection between the United States and Japan, Japanese and Dutch engineers are perfecting the link between Tokyo and Bandung in Java, which is the terminus of two chains to Europe and a junction between Europe, Australia and New Zealand. London and Bandung are connected already.

All this development has come since March 10, 1876, when Alexander Graham Bell conversed in Boston with a companion seated in another room a few feet away. Most of the American international telephone development has occurred since 1922, when only Cuba and Canada were linked with the United States.

It is estimated that 33,000,000 telephones are in operation throughout the world to-day, of which about 17,000,000 are in the United States alone would reach 2,400 times around the world if stretched in a single length.

## Salt 'Grown' On Stalks

Egypt Has New Way To Obtain Product From Soil

At Alexandria, in Egypt, they have just started a new way of obtaining salt from the sea. It is being "grown" on stalks. The water is admitted from the sea into a large level tract near the coast in which sticks have been placed upright at intervals. The inlet from the sea is then closed, and the water is left to evaporate under the influence of the powerful Mediterranean sun. Crystals of salt form round the sticks, and when at last the water has all gone a more or less mushroom-shaped pillar of salt stands where the stick was planted. In this form the salt is more easily handled than when it was allowed to evaporate in large masses.

## Hot Coffee For Policemen

Brussels, Belgium, is determined that one in the city shall be called this winter. Even policemen on beats are served hot coffee and those who must stand on corners are relieved every half hour. The Red Cross and other societies have joined to provide heated shelters for the unemployed. Hot coffee and soup are distributed, and bread is being placed at many corners.

## Using Expensive Gas

A group of chemists at Johns Hopkins university in Baltimore, Md., are using gasoline costing \$300 a gallon in an experiment to eliminate the use of gasoline in the exhaust system of motor vehicles. The petrol is fed by the tepid water to a one-cylinder motor.

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## Stimulate Industry

Application Of Common Sense Needed To Cure Unemployment

"A better spirit is evident in Canada to-day, but until unemployment is removed, progress will be hampered because of the tremendous relief," said Norman Holland, managing director of Brander-Henderson, Limited, while in Winnipeg on a regular tour of inspection through the West.

"Theories are out of place to-day," said Mr. Holland. "What is needed is a practical application of common sense methods. In my opinion the solution of this unemployment problem must come through industry itself, because when all is said and done, industry depends upon the spending of the individual.

"Instead of turning to the government for aid, I think an 'economic council,' comprising the best brains of the industrial world and of representative labor, could formulate policies which would lead to the re-engagement of many of our unemployed. The time has passed when we must haggle over details. What we must seek is a broader field.

"There is a great deal of talk about taxes, railway problems, etc., but the crux of the whole matter rests on the solution of the unemployment problem. Great Britain has been able to put men back to work. Surely we, in Canada, can emulate this example.

"A little more action and a little less talk are highly desirable features in considering this serious problem."—Winnipeg Free Press.

## Canadian Honey Prospects

Weather Has Favored The Satisfactory Wintering Of Bees

Honey production in 1934 will depend largely on the number and strength of colonies that survive the winter, the number of package bees imported and the weather conditions during the coming spring and early summer. In most sections of the country the bees went into winter quarters in fairly good condition, and the subsequent steady cold weather has favoured satisfactory wintering. The clovers which are the main source of surplus honey during the winter in fair condition. The heavy snowfall of the present winter also promises better protection against the killing of colonies than has been the case for the past two or three years. Short honey crops in New Zealand during the past three years have helped to place Canadian honey in the favourable place it now occupies in the United Kingdom.—Agricultural Situation Bulletin.

## Horses Are Highly Nervous

Air Noises Are One Of Animals' Greatest Ordeals

At Imber Court, the training school of the London Metropolitan mounted police horses, curious facts are recorded about an animal's traffic nerves. Air noises are an ordeal to most animals. Horses, which pass every other test with a turn again and again to master the lesson of standing still while an aeroplane propeller revolves overhead. Trams are another pet aversion. Many police horses which can be trusted on duty on Oxford Street, during the rush hour often fight shy of tram car noises.

## ROOSEVELT AUTHORIZES 102 NEW WAR VESSELS

For town, aircraft spurs, cockpit, etc., are other difficult problems.

The dress of shirtwaist styling is sort of tailored, and the buttons down the front of the bodice will give you a slim look. The pointed skirt section with centre-front seaming also helps marvelously toward making you appear tall. The collared jacket is very smart with its three-quarter sleeves.

Easy to make! You'll be amazed at the short time it takes you to make. Plain or patterned crepe, silk, rayon novities, lightweight woolsens, etc., are other suitable materials.

Style No. 610 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 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**WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD**

After spending 24 hours and 10 minutes swimming continuously P. K. Ghose, the famous Bengalee swimmer came out of the water to claim he had beaten a world's record.

Central collegiate orchestra, of Belgium, directed by R. J. Staples, were adjudged the winners in the high school orchestra competition in Winnipeg.

The London Times commenting editorially on the Canadian government's new natural products marketing bill, said the bill is likely to become the principal issue in Dominion politics.

Electric bulbs giving light corresponding with the colors of the solar spectrum have been used with remarkable results in developing print life in a laboratory of the Academy of Science in Paris, France.

Britain is getting the ice cream habit. In 1933 the United Kingdom consumed 40,000,000 gallons, a new record, and the consumption was almost as great in winter months as in summer.

Sweden will not be able to reduce her defence armaments, whatever international agreements are made, said R. J. Sandler, Swedish minister of foreign affairs, in an address at Stockholm.

Dr. Joan F. Coar, professor of German in the University of Alberta, will retire from that position at the end of the present academic year. It has been announced. He has reached the pension age. Dr. Francis Owen, associate professor in the department, will take over teaching of German.

### Fashion Hint For Paris

Manchester Produces "Glass Dress" From Process Just Discovered  
Manchester is teaching Paris a lesson in the arts of feminine fashioning by producing the "glass dress" in which women sparkle as brilliantly as though they were wearing hundreds of tiny diamonds.

A group of chemists and engineers discovered the process, and new Murks at Gorton are already busy on the first orders for the glass-printed fabric. The manager of the firm says: "Textile firms are sending us their cloth and we are printing glass and metal or silk or wool on it. The secret is in the ink."

"We have found a method by which, for example, powdered synthetic glass made into a liquid can be printed on cotton or any other material and made so fast that if afterwards you wash, iron and boil the material, and scrub it for ten minutes with a nail brush you will not be able to remove the glass."

"The possibilities of these glass-printed fabrics are wide. They can be used for evening frocks, for shoes and hats, and for stage curtains and dresses. We can print the glass on to wool or leather, paper or cardboard. We can make clothes of gold and silver."

Warren Hastings was the first governor-general of India.

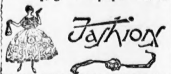
## HEALTH MEANS CHARM AND HAPPINESS

Sparkling eyes and smiling lips speak of health and vitality. Clear, smooth skin, radiant complexion, are the signs of a healthy, happy and popular person.

Perhaps you are not really ill yet when the day's work is done you are too tired to enter into the good times that other women enjoy, for extra energy, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It tones up your system, gives you more pep—more charm.

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## Winnipeg Newspaper Union



By Ruth Rogers



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### Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

#### BANANA TOAST

(Serves 6)

1 cup orange juice

1 teaspoon orange and (crushed)

1/2 cup sugar

2 to 3 bananas

6 slices toast

Mix orange juice, rind and sugar well and pour over bananas which have been sliced. Spread banana slices on hot buttered toast, mashing any remaining orange juice mixture over them. Put in oven or under broiler to brown toast and soften bananas. Bananas should be spread with a knife over toast when taken from the oven. Serve at once. This makes a delicious toast suitable for serving at a tea. It is an excellent breakfast dish, which children especially like. It will also serve as a simple luncheon or supper dessert for children and grown-ups.

#### Alberta Coal Fields

At the present rate of production, Alberta coal fields will last another 80,000 years, according to Professor E. S. Moore, of the Toronto University Economic Geology Department, in an address at Port Charlotte, Ontario. "Professor Moore mentioned that Canada produced 90 per cent of the world's nickel and steel second among countries as a producer of gold."

The portrait of an elephant was clear to the tip of its trunk.

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## Gardening

For Variety Add A Few New Flowers

To Your Garden This Year  
It is a splendid idea to add a few new flowers to the list chosen every year. Without this little departure from the straight road, a garden will soon become stereotyped. Then, too, the season may not suit some old favorite or that favorite may require fresh ground in which case the actual amount of bloom begins to fall off.

It is a mistake also, to have lines and dikes on the flowers of a few years ago. In the last decade there has been amazing improvement in almost all flowers. Many of the single now come also in double form and again some original double, like the asters, can to-day be secured in beautiful singles. Stems have been altered. Such things as the Zinnia, for instance, coming in dwarf, medium and giant size and the variation of applying to bloom as well as plants. The modern Snapdragon, is another flower which would not be able to require the presence of only a few summers back. It comes in small, intermediate and tall types, and will bloom over the first frost in the garden.

Cosmos is rather a common flower throughout a good deal of Canada, but not the Cosmos, unfortunately, that is listed in the seed catalogues of 1934. Here is a showy plant with single flowers three to four inches in diameter and slender stems as big. Stipules should not be omitted from the well balanced flower garden. Its glorified Morning Glory flowers come in rich reds, yellows and purples with splashes of gold. For bouquets, Salpiglossis along with Marigolds, of various sizes and colors, conchifloras, Scabiosa, Coriandras, Sweet Sultan, Chalcidius, Zinnias and Cosmos, should not be overlooked.

The total number of vegetable varieties offered in Canada runs into the hundreds, but seedsmen and commercial market gardeners agree on the following list for general use.

Peas: Pennell Pot Bick Wax, Round Red Kidney Wax, Stringless Green Wax, Kentucky Wonder and Kentucky Green Pod as pole sorts; Beets—Early Wonder and Flat Egyptian for early use and Edmonds and Chrys for mid-season and Danish Ballhead for winter storage.

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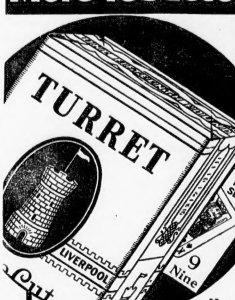
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## Aid For Saskatchewan Horse Breeders

Federal-Provincial Premium Policy

Of Assistance To Horse Breeding

The Hon. W. C. Buckle, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, has made an announcement that is of great interest to the horse breeders of Saskatchewan. He states that the Federal-Provincial Premium Policy of Assistance to Horse Breeding will be put into effect in Saskatchewan this year on a modified scale.

This provides for the payment of a premium to carcase, sound, outstanding stallions that are approved by the federal-provincial board for this season. The premium will be calculated on mares proving to be in foal to these stallions at the rate of \$4.00 for each, to a maximum of fifty, that is, not over \$200 will be paid for the services of any one stallion.

This policy is designed to benefit horse breeders, but the premium is payable to the stallion owner to allow him to reduce his service fee in order to enable farmers to make use of the services of a premium stallion at a moderate cost and thus raise a superior type of draft horse.

The payment of premium is shared equally between the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, and the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture, Regina.

The only stallions that are eligible for this premium are pure bred, registered stallions that are free from unsoundness of outstanding type, conformation and quality, with true, straight action, possessing plenty of size, and three-year-olds in ordinary breeding condition, must weigh 1650 pounds or over, four-year-olds must weigh 1750 pounds or over, and mature horses must weigh 1850 pounds or over.

No stallion will be considered for the premium unless he is enrolled and licensed for 1934 under the Provincial Horse Breeders' Act.

**Fatting Tip For**  
The teacher heard a child crying, and rubbed out to the playground to find out the cause of the disturbance.

"What is the trouble?" she asked of little Jimmie, who stood, calmly by, sitting on a bench.

"Oh, I have that," replied Jimmie, explained the witness.

"And where is the orange?" asked the teacher.

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## Holds Record For Health

Young Man At Film Show Has Never Been Sick

Elm Flon, Manitoba, possesses what is perhaps one of the most healthy and physically perfect men on the American continent in the person of Norman Grove, 25-year-old drummer in the Country Club dance orchestra there.

Grove declares that, as long as he remembers, he has never been ill. His mother asserts he was never sick while an infant. He has never had a cold, headache, toothache, or any pain in any part of the body, except through an accident.

The only time he has been attended by a physician was when he lost a part of the small finger of the left hand in a mishap some years ago. The finger was severed below the second joint. He was back to work in a month.

He has not smoked or partaken of any form of liquor for five years. Previously he had indulged in both in a moderate way. He took up boxing for recreation. Preparing for a match his trainer ordered him to abstain from smoking and liquor. He did this for a month. He figured, if he could do it for a month, he could do it indefinitely. This he has done.

The nearest approach to a feeling of sickness he has ever had is that of extreme exhaustion, such as after playing for long hours of dancing. He has never taken drugs of any description whatsoever.

He has a flawless set of teeth. He always eats heartily and sleeps well. Grove declares his parents and those who have known him personally in past years will vouch for the assertion he has never been ill.

## Strange Affection

Child Has Uncontrollable Desire To Look At The Sun

Cheyenne physicians are puzzled by the affliction which causes Max Shinkel, aged seven, to have an uncontrollable tendency to look at the sun.

When the sun's rays beat down on her they seem to have a hypnotic effect. She has been known to throw herself to look at the sun.

The girl has been brought to the Wyoming Children's Home Society in hope a carefully arranged diet and close attention by physicians may cure her.

## Even Toys Are Speculiar

Toy automobiles for sale 1934 season have been assembled like most of their big prototypes, and also appear so, according to a news item from the toy association.

The new models are guaranteed to travel 100 feet in a minute. The electric ones will travel five miles without new batteries.

Evidence that the seal of the Indian ocean once was a cat's paw, including deserts, has been found by an oceanographical expedition.

## Little Journeys In Science

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Much has been written about the conquering of Mount Everest and other great mountain peaks but few people have interested themselves in the other extreme in nature, the deepest depths of the ocean. Mount Everest in the Himalayas is some 29,000 feet high, but in the Swire Deep, off the island of Mindanao—in the Philippines, the sea is 32,000 feet in depth. The average depth of the ocean is considered to be about 12,000 feet, or nearly two and a fourth miles.

Little sunlight goes down farther than 1500 feet, and below that level there is utter darkness, and the water is so cold that, were it fresh, and at the surface, it would freeze. No plant life exists here, but there are many fish, who depend for their food supply on particles that come down from the surface of the sea.

These fish live where the pressure of the water is ten tons to the square inch. Because their tissues are so porous that they absorb sufficient water to enable them to live in the outside, these fish are quite at home with that tremendous force pounding on them from all sides.

Fish living in these ocean depths have a special adaptation to the other living creature, the danger of falling upwinds. If these fish rise too far above the bottom of the sea, the gas in their swim-bladders expands, and they are forced towards the surface where the bladder bursts or the fish "explodes."

Even the most severe storm does not disturb the water to a depth of more than 300 feet or to the depths are always still, dark and cold. Strange fish cruise around in the depths and occasionally there comes to rest a dead whale or some other saturated object from the higher levels.

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## OCCASIONAL WIFE

By EDNA ROY WEBSTER  
Author of "Joretta," "Epitaph"  
and "The Girl Who Came to Stay"

## SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson, young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young engineering sculptor trying to win a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inherit money when she comes of age and so is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency. Others in the story are Avis Werth, another wealthy girl who is trying to win Peter, Sylvia Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Malone, his former roommate with whom he has quarrelled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla's guests with impersonations. When the rest of the members of the party go to a cabaret to continue the gaiety, Peter and Camilla slip off to the beach by themselves and fall asleep on the sand. When they awake it is early morning and Avis and another boy are standing near them. The male impersonator who came to announce before the party that she and Peter are married, Bowman and Weeks, an advertising agency, where Camilla has submitted some of her work, and for her and tell her that she has a new account which requires unusual treatment of juvenile art. The critics were enthusiastic about her work, and Mr. Weeks offers her a salary of \$50.00 a week and a prospect of having it doubled. Peter is shocked at this offer. His fortune in securing employment, Mrs. Hoyt is also informed that Camilla was obtained work and is going to leave the Hoyt household. Avis is with Peter a single day in the city. Peter and Camilla go to the door as Peter, and invites him to have lunch there. He accepts reluctantly. Camilla is favorably impressed with his visit. Camilla urges Peter to get some of her earnings to help him along, but Peter refuses and they quarrel.

(Now On With The Story)

## CHAPTER XXXVIII.

She remained with him for another hour, striving to find the magic word or gesture that would break this spell of their disenchantment, but he remained aloof and impersonal. There was no ecstatic hour of murmured endearments and close embraces, like they discussed their work and hopes and plans. There was no deeply poignant meeting of eyes, no glowing glances, no words without meaning. She might have been any girl who had stopped in and interrupted his work. The girl whom he would have entertained with desultory words and a not too gracious manner—except for the first ten minutes which had been followed by their ugly quarrel. Their farewell was like an act in a play which had rehearsed too many times to find exciting any more, and Camilla walked out into the mellow autumn sunshine, seeing nothing, oblivious of sounds and feeling nothing, like she had been hypnotized and boarded the right car from habit. Nothing mattered.

Her world had turned upside down. Peter and Camilla had said unkind words to each other, their eyes had avoided each other's in shame instead of meeting with sympathy. Somehow they had lost that precious happy intimacy which had made any hope possible and every denial a promise. Her eyes stayed out the window at the passing landscape. Buildings, houses, trees, lamp posts, were blurred like a photograph that was slightly out of focus. No object was distinguishable.

When Camilla had gone, Peter sank into a chair and dropped his head into his hands. In his gesture was all the weariness and despair of his whole past. Never had life seemed so futile and ambitious such a mockery. He might have known it better. Camilla had made practical use of her talent, and within a few minutes she had secured a job of him. He was a dreamer who couldn't even take care of himself.

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## If Past 45 and "Low" and Upset Look for Acid Stomach

HERE ARE THE SIGNS:  
Nervousness Frequent Headache  
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The knocking was repeated, more imperative. He called crossly, "Come in."

The door opened and his hostile eyes met the pleasant greeting in Avis's face.

"Hello, everyone," she called cheerfully, then stopped with an inquiring glance around the room. "Oh, I thought Camilla was here. I ran in to ask you both to have a little supper with me. I'm alone—alone."

"She laughed, without any ceremony. 'Didn't I hear her come in early this afternoon?'"

"Yes, she was here," Peter replied tensely, and added, "but she had to leave early."

"Well, it's a good thing I came over in time to pull you out of your gloom. Another half hour and you would pass out. Her bantam concealed her own suspicions of the situation and her good humor encouraged Peter. 'All the more reason, then, why you should have supper with me, anyway. That's just one of the disadvantages of having a genius for a wife. Of course, she can't afford to spend all her time chirping you up.'"

"Oh, I'm all right," he insisted, something back the bright, disordered curls with a big, shapely hand.

"Tired, I guess. Of course, you are. You've worked all day, haven't you? Come along."

He obeyed meekly. Following Avis across the hall had got to be something of a habit. Rather a pleasant habit, too.

Avis was a clever actress. To prove to Peter that she was not a guest for supper, she reached one of the plates from the table that was laid for three. She also talked easily and freely, but she seemed to be unconsciously. Here was a "rit within the lute" of Peter's marriage, and she drove her wedge in cautiously. She restored his tranquility, made him comfortable and entertained him quietly. Just what he needed.

When they left the table, Avis suggested without insistence, "You surely don't need to work tonight. You should rest. Sit down and be comfy for awhile. In your place I'm most flattered." She turned the volume low on the radio, and a sentimental voice crooned, "You take me to Paradise, take me to Paradise, take me to Paradise, take me to Paradise."

It was strange how Avis, served and pampered and indulged, found it so difficult to cure.

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her greatest pleasure in serving and humoring this young giant who looked as if he had been made to struggle with physical force instead of maddening bits of clay. The ignominy of love—that makes servants of parasites and weaklings of slaves. He blew smoke into space with contentment. "Yes, I'll finish this week. I had planned to have it bronzed before sending it to the exhibit," he said. "I'll finish this week. I had planned to have it bronzed before sending it to the exhibit," he said. "I'll finish this week. I had planned to have it bronzed before sending it to the exhibit," he said.

"Of course, you should. Why not?" "That costs money," he replied, after a moment's hesitation, and met his friend's stare. "No, I'll enter it as it is."

"Don't be absurd," she reproved him gently. "What's a little saving like that, if it buys your chance to win?"

"I can't save what I don't have," he said. "I can't save what I don't have," he said. "I can't save what I don't have," he said.

"Well, wouldn't it pay you to borrow money on a chance like this? Besides, supposing that you don't win the prize, you can put your marble and sell it as you suggested before."

He made a gesture of hopelessness. "Who is going to loan money to a fellow who has made a clay figure on the chance that it will win him a prize that the whole world is going to take?"

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comfortable living, and then give yourself to your work. You owe that to yourself and Camilla."

Peter sighed. "I had hoped to make it alone."

"You are stubborn, aren't you?" Avis smiled.

"All right, granting that you are right, the future is with a big investment, who else could be convinced?"

"No one else needs to be," she replied calmly, intent with lighting another cigarette. "I have money to invest, and right now I don't know a safer place to put it than in the career of Peter Anson, famous American sculptor of the future!"

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Not vision of solemn words or golden ring.

Not least which takes two little hearts fluttering.

Not all of these have potency to make his bonds with nimble twist of circumstance.

Or dark design of adverse change or fortune.

Age and class, and age alone, of the slow years.

With common sense and laughter, griefs and tears;

Of lives close that one has often caught.

The other's while, while it was but a thought.

Age knows of fierce rebellion crushed at length.

Of love that gains in tenderness and strength.

As decades pass, of problems shared and solved;

Age knows of these true marriage is evolved.

## Etiquette Of Pigeons

London Birds Form Queue To Take Turns At Bath

Behind the exchange in London on the Threadneedle Street, there is a building famous, with a tiny trough at its foot for dogs to drink from, just large enough to accommodate one pigeon. On sunny days, when there is a chance of drying after a dip, 20 or 30 pigeons suddenly arrive upon the fountain. The pigeons at once begin to form queues on the right-hand side of the trough. The queue extends back over the edge of the step on to the step below, and the birds stand in a line, dripping on the left side, while they wait to watch the bird. Bird after bird, and the smallest bird is last to drink. The bird that is last to drink is instantly punished. The two "policemen," the bank messengers call the senior pigeons, drag out any pigeon who tries to leap beyond reason in the water.

A woman's idea of a flatterer is a man who says nice things to other women.

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Thursday, May 10th, 1934

Don. MacRae has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. Knist has not been very well this past two weeks.

Charlie Rowles has secured a position for the summer with the Agricultural Department of the Dominion Government, and will not be coming home at present.

Bissano is not supporting a senior baseball team this year. Lack of interest in baseball is attributed to general participation of fans in golfing and tennis activities.

Crops in southern Idaho are affected by a new insect menace. It is the "mormon" cricket which ravaged the crops of Mormon settlers in Utah in 1848. The insect is two inches long when full grown and eats everything.

Donations of milk, cream, butter, meat or chickens are asked for the Hospital Tea on Saturday, May 10th.

Nurse Rowles of the Alaska hospital, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rowles, on Sunday week last, making the trip by aeroplane.

The Alaska News says: 1.03 inches of rain was registered here during the storm of Saturday, Sunday and Monday, and two inches during Monday night.

Weston, long range weather forecaster says that precipitation in the central plains will return to normal around May 23rd.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. L. H. Shannon on Wednesday afternoon, May 16th, at 3 o'clock.

Jimmie Usher, Jr., left for North Bend, B.C. on Wednesday morning. Mrs. Usher, who leaves on Saturday morning, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. McNeill. They carry with them their wishes of the people to their new home.

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## Chinese Royalty Visits Canada



Crossing Canada as their fastest way of reaching the Orient to join an Imperial relative at his court, Princess Junbo, her husband, T. K. Cheng, and their little baby are seen as they arrived in Halifax recently in the Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Richmond. Princess Junbo is the second sister of Emperor Kang Teh, the young man who as an infant was proclaimed Emperor of China and is now Emperor of Tzu Manchu Tsin, the Manchurian state created by Japan.

Little Ying Tsai, eighteen months old daughter of Princess Junbo, was born in London, where her parents have lived in recent years. The princess and her husband both speak English perfectly and are seen to be mostly at ease in European clothes. Holding respectably and pretty Ying Tsai in his arms, the emperor is seen to be mostly at ease in European clothes. The party sailed from Victoria April 7 in the Empress of Canada.

Saturday was a bad day for wind and dust. The east passenger train found it necessary to use lights practically the whole way to and from Swift Current. At Cantuar the air was so full of dust that it was practically impossible to see the station or the station platform.

An interesting booklet, "Alberta, a Paradise for the Vacationist," has just been issued from the office of the Publicity Commissioner, at Edmonton. The booklet contains much information for the intending vacationist. It is tastefully executed in color, and well illustrated with beautiful scenes and strip maps. Copies of the booklet can be obtained on request.

**NOTICE TO TRAVELERS:**  
All local elevators will observe the Wednesday Half Holiday during the Summer months.



Spring more than any of the other four seasons calls for kindly feeling. If we are to judge by the many familiar quotations which describe spring as "gentle" or "sweet" and associating this particular season with "thoughts of love" the housewife's feelings may still be romantic but necessity has given her a practical view of life. Spring time to the housewife is a time for cleaning out spring cleaning is not what it was in the old days—thank goodness for that! When floors were entirely covered with carpets, well trodden down, when heavy drapes adorned the windows and furniture and when vacuum cleaners were unknown, the "form troops" were called in when rooms were to be given a real cleaning. Now that homes are differently furnished, and we have facilities for regular cleaning, the home can be kept clean at all times, and spring cleaning is just an extra polish keeping with the spirit of the season.

Just as the houses tend to be smothered in heavy carpets and hangings, so the human body was laden with heavy woollens, the women concealing themselves in corsets and stuffy dresses. The house was kept tightly sealed against the cold and so the people of those "good old days" felt built-down when spring came and quite naturally they thought that

they needed sulphur and molasses to free them of the winter's evils and sarsaparilla to purify their blood. Spring would not have been complete for them without some decoration which would be called a spring tonic.

Many people still live in the past. They cling to the idea that health can be found in a bottle of medicine, that a "bottle" takes the place of fresh air, sunshine, exercise and proper foods. Sunshine and fresh air are the real spring tonics and they cost nothing.

With the coming of spring, as much time as possible should be spent in the open air and sunshine. Start to walk all or part of the way to work; take a stroll outside at lunch time and in this way get exercise, fresh air and sunshine.

When resuming regular exercise, go at it slowly. Stop before you are exhausted. Regulate your exercises according to your age. For the child and

young adult, vigorous games are good, after thirty, moderation and avoidance of overstrain are desirable.

The secret of good health lies in a balanced diet, fresh air, sufficient exercise and rest. Use water freely inside and outside. Secure regular elimination. Be moderate in all things.

G. G. McGeer, lawyer and Liberal member in the B.C. parliament, created quite an interest in his policies when he appeared before the banking commission at Ottawa last week. He flayed the gold standard and our present financial system. Mr. McGeer has a four point plan which is somewhat along the line of Major Douglas's Social Credit Scheme. He would have a national bank of wide powers to finance from public credit and free all public enterprises and social services from interest charges. He claimed that his scheme would re-

## Mother's Day

Mother's Day at the United Church next Sunday, May 13th. Sunday School meets at 11 o'clock, then goes into Church for a Mother's Day service at 11:30, at which a program will be given by O.G.I. girls. In the evening at 8 o'clock a special service will be held at which Dr. Thos. Powell, of Calgary, will preach.

store credit over night and entire 1,000,000 Americans into Canada. He would also have a department of economic control to keep prices, wages, investments and distribution of wealth within the bounds of reason. "We must break the money trusts or they will break us," he declared. It is understood that Mr. McGeer intends to make a tour of Canadian cities to bring his plan on monetary reform more directly before the people.

A drunk was swaying back and forth on the sidewalk when the cop stepped up and asked him what he was doing and where he lived.

"Right there," he said, pointing to the house, "but I rang the bell (hic) nobody answered." "How long ago was that?" asked the cop.

"Oh (hic) a couple of hours," "Well, why don't you try again?" "Aw t hell with 'em—let 'em wait."

Mrs. Rev. J. S. Parke, Mrs. V. Hanna, Mrs. A. Harmon, Mrs. D. Robertson attended Anglican Sunday School Convention at Loversin, Wednesday.

Considerable work has been done in preparing the fairway, greens and teeing off places of the new golf course this past week.

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